

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;
an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and
a switching device to switch a mode between a communication mode in which communication is performed by said communication device, and a shooting mode in which shooting is performed by said imaging device;

wherein said switching device switches said communication mode to said shooting mode responsive to completion of communication in said communication mode.

2. (Original) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and
a switching device to switch a mode between a communication mode in which communication is performed by said communication device, and a shooting mode in which shooting is performed by said imaging device;

wherein said switching device switches said shooting mode to said communication mode responsive to completion of shooting in said shooting mode.

3. (Original) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and

a control device to control the camera to store a signal transmitted from another communication device during shooting with said imaging device.

4. (Original) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and

a control device to control said communication device to transmit a message to a caller upon receiving a communication from the caller during shooting with said imaging device.

5. (Currently Amended) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an announcing device to announce an incoming call that comes from another communication device, to a camera user in a plural-plurality of announcing manners including at least a vibration announcing manner;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal;

a detecting device to detect a state of the camera which is related to photographing; and

~~a switching device to switch said announcing manner or a prohibiting device to prohibit at least vibration announcing among the plurality of announcing manners for the incoming call responsive to the state of the camera detected by said the detecting device.~~

6. (Currently Amended) A camera according to claim 5, wherein ~~said announcing device is capable of announcing with vibration, and said changing the prohibiting device prohibits said the announcing device from announcing with vibration when said the detecting device detects a state of the camera in which shooting is possible.~~

7. (Currently Amended) A camera according to claim 5, wherein ~~said the announcing device is capable of announcing with sound in addition to vibration and sound, and said changing the prohibiting device prohibits said the announcing device from announcing with vibration and sound when said the detecting device detects a state of the camera in which movie shooting is possible.~~

8. (Currently Amended) A camera according to claim 5, wherein ~~said announcing the prohibiting device is possible to announce the incoming call by vibration, and said switching device prevents announcing manner of announcement with vibration for the incoming call by vibration when said the detecting device detects that the camera is in a state of shooting.~~

9. (Currently Amended) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an announcing device to announce an incoming call that comes from another communication device, to a camera user;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and

a changing preventing device to change a control manner of said prevent shooting with the imaging device while said the announcing device is announcing the incoming call.

10. (Currently Amended) A camera according to claim 9, wherein said changing the preventing device prevents shooting with said the imaging device while said the announcing device is announcing the incoming call by vibration.

11. (New) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and at least one of:

a switching device to switch a mode between a communication mode in which communication is performed by said communication device, and a shooting mode in which shooting is performed by said imaging device,

a control device to control said communication device and said imaging device,

a prohibiting device to prohibit announcing an incoming call from another communication apparatus, and

a preventing device to prevent shooting with the imaging device during an incoming call from another communication device.

12. (New) A camera capable of communicating with another communication device, comprising:

a communication device to communicate with another communication apparatus;

an imaging device to convert an object to an electronic image signal; and
a switching device to switch a mode between a communication mode in which
communication is performed by said communication device, and a shooting mode in which
shooting is performed by said imaging device, wherein said switching device switches said
communication mode to said shooting mode responsive to completion of communication in
said communication mode and said switching device switches said shooting mode to said
communication mode responsive to completion of shooting in said shooting mode;

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a control device to control the camera to store a signal transmitted from
another communication device during shooting with said imaging device and to control said
communication device to transmit a message to a caller upon receiving a communication
from the caller during shooting with said imaging device;

an announcing device to announce an incoming call that comes from another
communication device, to a camera user;

a detecting device to detect a state of the camera which is related to
photographing;

a prohibiting device to prohibit announcing the incoming call responsive to the
state of the camera detected by the detecting device; and

a preventing device to prevent shooting with the imaging device while the
announcing device is announcing the incoming call.